

CHAPTER XXXVII

An act in aid of the North Carolina Central Rail Road and Cape Fear and Yadkin Rail Road Companies.

Board of Int.
Imp. or Gov.
shall cause a
survey of the
routes, and
draw on the
Treas. for a
sum not ex-
ceeding \$4000
for each route.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the board of Internal Improvements, or in case there should not be a board appointed at the present session, then the Governor of the State, be authorised and directed, as soon as may be after the close of the present session, to cause surveys to be made in order to ascertain the most eligible route by which the rail roads contemplated by the acts for incorporating the North Carolina Central Rail Road and the Cape Fear and Yadkin Rail Road Companies may be made; and that the said board or Governor, as the case may be, be authorised to draw on the Public Treasurer from time to time for such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the expenses of such surveys to an amount not exceeding the sum of four thousand dollars for each survey.

N. C. shall be
entitled to
stock.

II. *And be it further enacted,* That the State of North Carolina shall be entitled to as many shares of capital stock in each of the said Rail Road Companies, as may be equal to the amount expended in the survey for said Company, estimating a share of stock at one hundred dollars.

CHAPTER XXXVIII

An act to amend an act, entitled an act, passed in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty, to authorise and direct the Public Treasurer to sell the public lands therein named belonging to the State.

Confirms the
sale of the ma-
chine tract.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the sale made by the Public Treasurer of the Machine tract of land, under an act of the last General Assembly, chapter, as reported to the Legislature by the said Treasurer, be, and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed; and that the Governor of the State be, and he is hereby authorised and instructed to execute to the purchaser a good and sufficient title to the said tract of land in fee simple, so soon as the purchase money shall be paid, or secured to the satisfaction of the Public Treasurer.

CHAPTER XXXIX

An act to extend the time within which the Reports of the Supreme Court shall be published.

Allows 5 m^{ts}
to prepare re-
ports for the
press.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this act, the Reporter of the Supreme Court shall be allowed five months from the close of each term of the Supreme Court to prepare the decisions of that court for the press.

Of the salary
of Reporter.

II. *And be it further enacted,* That the salary now allowed the Reporter of the Supreme Court shall be paid by the Treasurer upon satisfactory evidence that seventy-one copies of the Reports of the Supreme Court have been deposited and distributed, as now required by law, within the time hereby allowed, and not otherwise.